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NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.



SHIPPING.	INTIMATIONS.	BANKS.	A OUTAUN 5.	LNTIMATIONS.	HOLICED TO COMPLETE CARGO	TO DE TEU
ARRIVALS.	FANE CRAWFORD & Co.,	HONGRONG&SHANGHAIBANKING CORPORATION.	BUBLIC AUCTION.	UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.	TOCONSIGNEESOF OPTIONAL CARGO EX O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "LAERTES."	TO BE LET.
May 10, Wan Young, British stoamor, 313, J. C. Witt, Pakhoi 6th May, Hoiliow 8th, and		PAID-UP CAPITAL	THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Austion.	NOTICE TO SHAPEHOLDEDS	FROM LIVERPOOL HIPPING Orders must be obtained from the	Measuring 100 feet upon the Prays
Macao 10th, General.—Chinese. May 10, Namvian, British str., 472, A. Gar-	MENT CHOOP OF CHANCED HATS	RESERVE FUND	TO MORROW, the 13th May, 1885, at 2 P.M., at his	A FIRST INTERIM BONUS of TWENTY	Undersigned not later than the 17th inst.,	Apply to
cean, Haiphong 6th May, General.—A. R.	Consisting of	DIVIDENDS	Sales Room, Queen's Road, AN ASSORTMENT OF	the year 1884 has This Day been declared.	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.	Hongkong, 12th May, 1885. 913
MARTY. May 10, E'u-shun, American steamer, 1,504, A.		RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- 7,500,000.	CHINESE AND JAPANESE CURIOS, &c.,	WARRANTS may be had on application at the Office of the Society on and after MONDAY;	Hongkong, 11th May, 1885. [887] OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.	THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAM-
Croad, Shanghai 7th May, General.—Rus-	SOFT CRUSH FELT HATS. "KNOOK-ABOUT" HATS.	COURT OF DIRECTORS:— Chairman—Hon. F. D. Sassoon.	Comprising:— VASES, JARS, BOWLS, ENAMELLED	the 18th instant. By Order of the Board,	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S Steamer	SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.
May 11. SHERARD OSBORN, British str. 875.		Deputy Chairman—A. McIven, Esq.	WARE IVORY CARVINGS, TORTOISE SHELL WARE, SANDALWOOD WARE,	Secretary.	"LAERTES," are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis-	FOR AMOY. THE Company's Steamship
F. Worseley, Shanghai 30th April, Sub- marine Cable.—E. E. A. & C. Telegraph	CONTRACTOR TOTAL OF THE A PERSON	H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. E. E. Sassoon, Esq. W. H. Forbes, Esq. C. D. Bottomley, Esq.	BLACKWOOD CARVED BOXES, IVORY FANS, LACQUERED TABLES, WORK	Toughting, our may, root.	charged into Craft, " landed the the Godowns	"TIAMANTE"
Co.	NEW STRAW HATS.	Hon. W. Keswick A. P. McEwen, Esq. CHIEF MANAGER.	BOXES, CIGAR CASES and JEWEL- LERY BOXES.	UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.	Consignees risk. The Cargo will be ready for	Captain Stack, will be despatched for the above Port TO-DAY, the 12th instant, at
May 11, LAERTES, British steamer, 1,391, R. F. Scale, Liverpool 28th March, and Singapore	Onnoulli Tria	Hongkong—Thomas Jackson, Esq. Manager.	EMBROIDERED SILK SCREENS on BLACKWOOD CARVED FRAMES and	NOTICE TO SHABEHOLDERS.	11th May, 1885. Goods undelivered after the 11th May,	RUSSELL & Co.,
5th May, General.—BUTTERFIELD& SWIFE	"FORBES-WATSON" PATENT FELT	Shanghai—Ewen Cameron, Esq. London Bankers—London & County Bank.	STANDS.	ORDINARY MEETING OF SHARE	will be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents:	General Managers. Hongkong, 12th May, 1885. [914
May 11, Remus, Spanish steamer, 652, Fremova Cebu 6th May, Sugar,—Donn, Melinya	1 *************************************	Hongkong-Interest Allowed.	SILK EMBROIDERED SHAWLS, BED COVERS and SCARFS	HOLDERS of the SOCIETY will be held at the Society's Head Office, No. 15. Prays	Hongkong, 14th May, 1885. [887	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
& Co. May 11, Diamante, British stormer, 514, F. J.		On Commont Deposit Account at the rate of		Gentral, Victoria, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the Eighteenth day of May, 1885, at Three	STEAMSHIP "ANADYR.".	FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.
Stack, Manila 8th May, General —Russell		On Fixed Deposits:— For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum.	J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.	o'clock in the AFTERNOON, when it is intended to propose a resolution (in lieu of Article No. 30)	COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGÉRIES MARITIMES.	(Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for Ningpo, Cheroo, Newchwang, Trentsin,
& Co. - May 11, Meridian, Siamese schooner, 323, A	LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.	For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum.	Hongkong, 11th May, 1885. [903]	for Subdividing the present Shares and dealing with the increased Capital in the Said Article	NOTICE.	HANKOW and PORTS on the YANGTSZE). THE Company's Steamship
L. Kruse, Bangkok 31st March, Timber	Hongkong, 11th Mry, 1004.	Local Bills Discounted.		No. 30 mentioned, and for providing for the		"LAERTES,"
CHINESE. May 11. CHANDERNAGOR, British bark; 687	ELLY& WALSH'S NEW BOOKS AND NEW GOODS.	every description of Banking and Exchange	from GEO. HORNEGOL, Esq., to Sell by	Shares of the Society; also Resolutions for Amending Article No. 31, and for raising the number		Captain Scale, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 13th inst, at DAYLIGHT.
Geo. Parker, Touron 4th May, Coal and Rattan,—CAPTAIN.	Hunter's Bits of Old China. Field Exercises—New Edition, just Published.	business transacted. DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia,	Public Auction, on THURSDAY.	of Shares that may be held, for providing for the application of the First Call, for eliminating	from London and Antwerp, in connection with	For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Trace Car 12211	American Almanack, 1885. Blackie's Steam Practice and Engineering.	America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.	OUARTERS CENTRAL POLICE STATION.	the Fee of One Dollar mentioned in Article No. 62, and altering Article No. 65 to meet such	Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure,	Hongkong, 11th May, 1885. [387
CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.	Hosie's Journey through Central Sau-Chuan.	Hongkong, 28th February 1885. [6	FURNITURE, So.	elimination and for providing for the mode of Distributing the Assets in case of dissolution.	their risks at the Company's Godowns, whence	DOUGLAS SIERASHII COMMAN,
11TH MAY.	Blue Book—State Papers relating to China. Charles George Gordon—A Sketch	NOTICE.	CENTRE TABLE, COUCH, EASY	Copies of the intended Resolutions may be seen	landing	FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND TAMSUI.
- Olympia, German str., for Singapore. Yorkshire, British str., for Saigon.	Don't! Satow and Hawes Guide to Japan, 2nd Ed.	SAVINGS BANK.	CHAIRS and CHAIRS, MAHOGANY ROCKING CHAIR, PICTURES, MIRROR,		intimation is received from the Consignees before Noon TO-DAY, the 5th inst., requesting	
Peking, British str., for Shanghai.	The Canton Guide by Dr. Kerr-Maps and	1.—The business of the above Bank will be	and CARPET. ENGLISH-MADE MARBLE TOP SIDE-		it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the	Captain Mossmann, will be despatched for the
Pilot Fish, British str., for Amoy. J. V. Troop, British ship, for Hoile.	Plans. Wall Maps of the World, Asia, Europe, &c. Fresh Stecks of Cope's Gelden Cloud and	conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai	GLASS WARE.	Hongkong, 5th May, 1885	Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after TUES-	at ELEVEN A.M., instead of as previously
Elsa, German str., for Haiphong.	Straight Cut. Morris' Gold Leaf Honey Dew.	Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.	DOUBLE and SINGLE IRON REDSTEADS, WARDROBES, CHEST OF DRAWERS.	PROSPECTUS	DAY, the 12th instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges at 1 cent.	
DEPARTURES.	Lawn Tennis Sets, Tennis Bats, Tennis Balls.	2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor	TERMS OF SALE.—As Customary.	CHINESE IMPERIAL -	per package per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me on or	DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.
May 11, MOUNT LEBANON, British sch., fo Honolulu.	New Stock of Cigar and Cigarette Tubes. Briar Root and Meerschaum Pipes.	may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having	Auctioneer.	GOVERNMENT 1885 DOLLAR LOAN.	before the 15th inst, or they will not be	
May 11, OLYMPIA, German str., for Singapore.		3100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang	Trongaving, main may, icon-	<u> </u>	No Fire Insurance has been effected.	FOR HOIHOW, SINGAPORE, AND BANGKOK.
May 11, Рекгия, British str., for Shanghai. May 11, Рист Fиян, British str., for Amoy.	always ready for use—No more soiled finger. Store Screens and Stove Ornaments.	hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.	FURNITURE SALE. T ANE, CEAWFORD & Co. will Sell by	A COVERNMENT OF CHINA and in conformity with Docrees Issued by the	G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, 5th May, 1885.	THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM- SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.
PASSENGERS.	Magic Knives and Pencils.		Public Auction at No. 13, ELGIN	TSUNG-LI YAMEN, or GENERAL FO-		7 HE Company's Steamship
ARRIVED.	Memorandum Pocket Books in great Jamety.	daily balances	I FRIDAY.	REIGN OFFICE, at PERING, and officially communicated to the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA,	COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.	"KONG BENG," Captain R. Jones, will be despatched for the
Per Wah Young, str., from Pakhoi, &c.—Mr. Nodt, and 511 Chinese.	Continuous Drawing Paper 5 feet wide.	with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors mus	THE WHOLE OF THE	HONGKONG, through the BRITISH LEGA-	NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.	above Ports on THURSDAY, the 14th inst., at
Por Nam-vian, str., from Haiphong —4 Europeans, and 5 Chinese-	KELLY & WALSH, HONGKONG. 124	not make any entries themselves in their Pass Books, but should send them to be written up	HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c.	TION at Perine, bearing dates the 26th day of December, 1884, and 12th day of January,	Transstad to send in their Bills of Lading	FOR TRUE OF LANGUE OF THE PARTY
Per Fu-shun, str., from Shanghai.—Mrs. Mare land, Messrs. Richards. A. Shepherd, Lansdal	BREWER has just received	at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.	CRETONNE COVERED CHAIRS and COUCHES, MIRRORS, MARBLE TOR		to the undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been	Agents.
and Wooyida, and 98 Chinese. Per Remus, str., from Cebu.—Mr. Eduard	Take Dall to May O'Pall.	6.—Correspondence as to the business of the	TABLES, CURTAINS, CARPET, OAR SIDEBOARD, DINING TABLE, WHAT	7.1.7., in 2790 Boxos of \$500 each, excepting one	landed and stored at their risk and expense.	Hongkong, 11th may, 1999.
Former, and 2 Chinese. Per Lacries, str., from Liverpool, &c.—Messr	Highways in China.	Business is forwarded free by the variou	S NOT, AMERICAN CHAIRS, GLASS CROCKERY and ELECTRO-PLATE, and	for \$200.14, Hongkong Currency, bearing inter- est at 8-per cent. per annum. The CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT gua-	EX "TANAIS"	THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAM- SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.
Bela, Budd, Elliott, and Weeks, and Miss Ni bett, and 460 Chinese from Singapore.	The Colonial Purse with Sliding Pad for	7Withdrawals may be made on demand	LOLEOGRAPHS.	rantees the repayment of this Loan within three years from the nineteenth day of January, 1885,	Yokohama.	FOR MANILA, DIRECT.
Per Diamante, str., from Manila Mr. an . Mrs. E. Spungli, 2 children and 2 servant	New Skeleton Chit Cases.	his duly appointed Agent, and the production of	TITEESS. MAHOGANY MARBLE TO	and has pledged as security therefor and for the payment of the interest, the IMPERIAL MARI-		" ESMERALDA,"
Messrs. Jasper M. Wood, John Macnab, Carle Germain, and Jose Penzy Maeso, and 70 Chines	03 Desca Ciona Casas Photo Albums	For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank	and DRESSING TABLES, and BATH	TIME CUSTOMS REVENUES of the Kwangtung or Canton Province, and further, have made the		Captain Tayler, will be despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 15th instant,
REPORTS	Private Ledgers. Mathematical Instruments, Colour Boxes	T. JACKSON.	SALOON RIFLES, PISTOLS and RE	Bonds issued for the payment of this Loan re- ceivable, if not taken up and paid at due date	11 Dilli II II Dilli	at Five P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to
The British steamer Sherard Osborn repor	ts Artist's Brushes. NEW BOOTS AND SHOES.	Hongkong, 8th May, 1885.	3 VOLVERS.	thereof, in payment of Customs' duties, export and import, throughout the Kwangtang or Can-	1 . MARGAN Deceased.	RUSSELL & Co., General Managers.
left Shanghai on the 30th April, and had light Southerly winds, fine but hazy.	Men's Patent Oxford Shoes.	THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED INCORPORATED UNDER THE COMPANIES	CATALOGUES will be issued:	ton Province, as appears by the following ex-	Court of Hongkong made on the 28th	
The British steamer Wah Young reports le Pakhoi on the 6th May, Hoihow on the 8th, as	Men's Kid Oxford Shoes with Cloth tops.	ACTS 1862 to 1883.	LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Auctioneers.	the Chinese Imperial Government and the Chartered Bank of India. Australia and	day of April, 1885, NOTICE IS HEREBY	FOR HAVRE LONDON, AND HAM.
Macao on the 10th, and had fine, clear weather	Ladies' Hardsome Evening Shoes.	IN 200,000 SHARES OF £10 EACH. Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET	Hongrong, 11 th may, 1009.	The China, viz: "In the event of the non-payment at due date by the Chinese Imperial Go-	against the Estate of WILLIAM MOSTIF	f HE Steamship
The American steamer Fushun reports le Shanghai on the 7th May, and had modern	to Black Satin Shoes-Silk embroidered.	LONDON.	क्या क्या क्या	terest, or of any part thereof, the Bonds drawn	Hongkong, Broker, who died on the 2nd day of April, 1885, and whose Will was on the 20th	Cant. E. G. Pfaff, will be despatched for the
S.W. wind and thick fog during the passage.	Men's Lawn Tennis Shoes plain soles. Thes are the strongest and best Shoes for Concret		TO BE LET.	upon become and be payable and receivable in	day of April, 1885, proved in the Supreme Cour of Hougkong in its Probate Jurisdiction by	For Freight or Passage, apply to
The British steamer Diamante reports le Manila on the 8th May, and had light varial	ole A BEH M FIE Cheen a work.	THE UNION BANK OF LONDON, LIMITED. THE BANK OF SCOTLAND, EDINBURGH, LON	OEN. BOOMS AND GAR	import, or both at any port or places in the	ALFRED PARKER STOKES of Victoria aforesaid one of the Executors named in the said Will	Agents.
winds and calms to lat. 21-N.; thenco moder: S.W. winds and rainy weather to port.	NEXT DOOR TO HONGKONG HOTEL. 2	DON; AND BRANCHES.	-No. 8. Mosque Terrace. No. 27. Eugen Terrace, 8 ROOMS, &c.	IMPRRIAL MARITIME CUSTOMBShall be directed	are required to send Particulars of their Claim in writing to the Undersigned on or before th	θ
The Siamese schooner Meridian reports le	SALOON,	ON DEPOSITS: At 3 Months' Notice; 3 per Cent. per Annun	CODOWNS of WANCHAY with Water	the full value."	28th day of August, 1885, after which time th Executor will proceed to distribute the Asset	S CHOLLE
Bangkok on the 31st March, and had light Si therly breeze and fine weather in the Gulf	of A LADIES HAIR DRESSING	At 6 Months' Notice, 4 per Cent. per Annual At 12 Months' Notice, 5 per Cent. per Annual	5 ACRES GARDEN & BUNGALOW	OFFICERS at all the other TREATY PORTS in		FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO.
Siam: from Pulo Obi to port light E.N.E. a. N.E. breeze with fine weather.	ment, and Ladies are respectfully invited t	On CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS 2 pe	LINSTEAD & DAVIS.	" I HEALTHMAN CHICA BUT I'M AND CONTROLL WATER AND	Deter this 7th day of May, 1885.	"GORDON CASTLE,"
	give it a trial. Every satisfaction is guaranteed	Cent. per Annum on the Daily Balance. Crepits Granted. Remittances. E.	S- CO LET	Loan. The PRINCIPAL and INTEREST are	SHARP, JOHNSON & STOKES. Supreme Court House.	Rowell, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on the 19th instant.
May-ABRIVALS	MAR. R. S. PINTO begs to inform th	CHANGES, LOANS, and every description of Banking Business transacted.	TENTOTER COMMODIOUS GODOWN	payable in Hongkong. The Bonds are redeem- 8 able at par within three years (1888) by three		For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
1, Hermann, German bark, from Chefoo. 1, Crusader, British str., from Hongkong.		, CHAIMS OR the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION	Nos. 64, 65, 92A and 93A, Bewrington Wanchai.	n, yearly instalments, the first of which will be payable on the 18th January, 1886. The Bonds	HONGKONG	Hongkong, 12th May, 1885. Agents.
2. Batavia, British bark, from Newchwang 2. Argos, British bark, from Newchwang	Attendance at Purit's residence, and great	PURCHASED. H. A. HERBERT. Manager.		will bear interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum, payable yearly according to the English	IN BANKRUPTCY.	STEAM TO YOROHAMA VIA NAGA
2. Hailoong, British str., from Hongkong 3. Omega, British bark, from Chefco. 3. Oscar Mooyer, German bk., from Nichwa	TERMS VERY MODERATE.	IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTIC		Calendar, as per schedule hereunto annexed, a the Offices of the CHARTERED BANK of INDIA	KWOK A PO. alias KWOK HEY	as SAKI, AND KOBE. W (Passing through the Incand Sea.)
 3. Hedvig, British bark, from Newchwang 	Hongkong 1st May 1885.	CHANCERY DIVISION.	ARINE VILLA, Kowloon, GARDE	AUSTRALIA and CHINA at their current buying rate of exchange for demand bills on Hongkong	KAT, residing on the 2nd floor of house No. 1	2, THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship
3. Minerys, German brig, from Newchwar 3. Don Juan, Spanish str., from Hougkon	TUITION.	ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION	N. 1st May, 1885.	m The DRAWINGS will take place at the Office of the said CHARTERED BANK U	Detition for Adjudication in Ban	k. will—leave for the above place on SUNDAY.
4, Douglas, British str., from Foochew. 4, Foilung, British str., from Shanghai. 4, Dongslean British str., from Shanghai.	R. WILLIAM SWEETMAN, Teacher of LANGUAGES, will be glad to receive	IN Liquidation.	Apply to	Hongkong three months previous to the date of payment of each instalment, as given in the Schedule, and the Bonds so drawn will be	ruptoy, filed in the Supreme Court of Hon	g- the 24th May, 1835, at DAYLIGHT
4. Dencation, British str., from Shanghai. 4. Adolph, German brig, from Newchwan 5. Fokien, British str., from Hongkong.	F. PUPILS. Under his new system MR. SWEE. MAN can import a fair knowledge of an	Court of Chancery made in the about matter the Official Liquidates has been auth	TO LET.	Schedule, and the Bonds so drawn will be payable at par at the Offices of the said	and make application for his Ord	er Honekong 11th May, 1885.
5. Newchwang, British str., from Swatow	European Language within three month	8. Wind to pay a FIRST DISLIEND of Fire	On NO. 5, WEST TERRACE. Entry fro	om date interest on the Bonds so drawn wil	of Discharge, will be held before the Honourab	of STEAM TO SHANGHAL.
6, C. H. Kian, British str., from Swatow. 6, John Potts, British bark, from Chafoo 7, Hilda, British sch., from Chafoo.	DAY and EVENING CLASSES. MR. SWEETMAN undertakes Translation	their approved Claims received by him	in June 1st.	CONT. T. T. T.	the said Court, at the Supreme Court House Victoria aforesaid on Tuesday, the 26th de	se, THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship
7. Menelans, British str., from Hongkong 7. Julieta, Spanish str., from Hongkong		HOLDERS OF NOTES cannot participate the 1st Dividend unless they have Deposit	in G. C. ANDERSON, 13, Praya Central.	TABLE OF DEAWINGS	of May, 1885, at II obstock in the Forence of that day precisely.	will leave for the above place about 36 hours
7. Hailoong, British str., from Tamsui. April— DEPARTURES.	Terms strictly moderate. Apply to	the Notes in the hands of the Attorneys of t	pe trouggoid, out may, 1000.	to take place in the month of October in each year.	ALERED GASCOYNE WISE, Esquire, is to	he after her arrival with the outward English Mail. A. McIVER,
30, Caroline, Norwegian bark, for Taiwan 30, Douglas, British str., for Foochow.	foo. COLLEGE CHAMBERS, Wyndham Street.	26th day of September, 1884. All Deposit Receipts, Bills of Exchange	TOTAL TOTAL	Dates of Payment Amount of each Amount of Interes	undersigned is the Solivitors, acting for the	Hongkong, 12th May, 1885.
May— 2. Amatista, British str., for Swatow.	Hongkong, 30th April, 1885.	Powers of Attorney, Certificates received	in East, No. 11, Immediate Possession.	and Interest. 1886,—January 18th, 3465,000.00 \$111,576.0	Dated this 5th day of May, 1885.	
4. Hailoong, British str., for Swatow. 4. Douglas, British str., for Swatow.	PORTLAND CEMENT J. B. WHITE & BROS.	in the North Landson the State of the Board	MEYER & Co.	67 1888,—January 18th, 465,000.00 74,376.0	Solicitors,	COLLEGE CHAMBERS (late Horel DE
4, Don Juan, Spanish str., for Manila. 5, Newchwang, British str., for Tientsin.	SOLE AGENTS FOR CHINA. HOLLIDAY WISE & Co.	their Claims to the Official Liquidator London are requested to do so at once in accou	in rd- LET.	\$1,394,700.14 \$223,128.0	Hongkong.	Apartments.
5. Dencation, British str., for Hongkong. 5. Feilung, British str., for Swatow.		ance with the notice given in the Hongko Daily Press Newspaper on the 13th, 16th, a	ng TENTRALSHED HOUSE No. 7. BENEDI	80	LIMITED.	No. 4, HOLLIWOOD ROAD. No. 25B, PRAYA CENTRAL.
5. Benclutha, British str., for Straits. 6. Sibirien, German bark, for Taiwanfoo	NOTICES OF FIRMS.	20th August, 1884, and in the Hongko Government Gazette on the 16th, 23rd and 30	or Five months from 1st June next.	AUSTRALIA AND CHINA	1011011 10 10210 100	No. 44, Graham Street. No. 5, Peddar's Hill.
6, Fokien, British str., for Tamsni. 7, Hermann, German bark, for Newchwa		August, 1884. Notice is hereby given that the abo	LIEUT. COL LE MESURIER	FOR THE	A BONUS of 15 per Crar upon Continue of the year 1884 has Tr	No. 4, OLD BAILY STREET. Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
7, Perle, British bark, for Bangkok. 7, Menelans, British str., for Shanghai.		Dividend will be payable at the Office of of New Oriental Bank Corporation, Limits	de la	SMALL UNALLOTTED BALANCE	DAY been declared.	Hongkong, 12th May, 1885.
	Mr. JAMES CAMPBELL WAR	D- on and after the 17th instant, between the Hours of 10 A.M. and 3 P.M., (on Saturday)	TOOMS SUITABLE FOR OFFICE	S, of the above Loan at their Offices at Hongkon Shanghai Yokohama and Singapore und	above Office on and after the 15th Proximo	
VESSELS ABBIVED IN EUROPE FROM POI	1884.	from 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.), to the persons entitle having regardonly to the Claims of which not	ioe Pensary, Peddars Street.	Noon on the 23rd May, 1885, when the Tende will be opened.	General Agents, Conton Incomence Office Limited	
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A. P. STOKES. Notary Public. Hongkong.

Hongkong, 13th March, 1885. CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT

EIGHT PER CENT. LOAN OF 1881. TTHE INTEREST, due 13th day of May instant, of the above LOAN, together

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HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

HONGEONG, MAY 12TH 1895. THE news received from Shanghai yesterday, the present is a case of a vessel carry and Chion. It is not anticipated, however, ing at each end of the line. It is, however, resumption of hostilities. According to the with regard to immigration, and those en-1449 Hu Pao it has arisen from the French gaged in the passenger trade can easily as-Minister taking offence at the terms used in certain what number of passengers are al-1607 1616 1624 the Imperial Decree. This seems an ex- lowed in proportion to a vessel's tonnage. 1768 1776 1784 1792 French would have shown a surprising at Singapore is liable to cause some confu-1848 degree of consideration for the Chinese and of sion and ought, if possible, to be removed. 1888 1895 1904 callousness in regard their own honour if they 1992 2000 2007 2016 had not demanded a withdrawal of the objec-2063 2071 tionable terms. The decree stated that the overtures for peace had come from the 2236 French, and that their request was granted. 2296 It referred to the French by a term of which "that horde" is said to be the most correct 2433 2441 2450 2457 rendering, and it warned the Chinese officials 2505 2514 to be on their guard against French treachery. Putting the best possible construction on 2665 2673 2681 it, the decree seems to have been worded in a contemptuous and offensive manner, while as 2833 2841, 2851 to the statement that the evertures for peace 2889 2898 2905 came from the French, the Paris correspond-2937 2947 2958 2962 ent of The Times gives a much more proba-3049 3057 3065 3073 ble account of how the capprochement was 3129 brought about, namely, that Sir ROBERT HARrommunicated directly with M. FERRY. 3296 3304 That the difficulty which has arisen may be successfully smoothed over is devoutly to be hoped, but it is clear that M. PATENOTEE will Times. 3520 3528 have to use great skill and circumspection in order to bring the negotiations to a successful issue. Latterly the Peace party bave been in the ascendent at Peking, but how long they may remain so it is impossible to 3904 3911 3920 sav. Even as it is the War party are too strong to be lightly dealt with; they are puffed up with pride at the success which 4137 attended the Chinese arms in Tonquin just before the armistice, and any proposition British seamen at Shanghai that they might be that China should apologise for the terms engaged by the British authorities to man the 4353 4363 used in the Imperial decree would greatly cruisers, they made application to the comexasperate them. It is said that 4529 decree was not intended for the public 4569: 4577 4585 eye, which is probably true, but what-4674 4681 4689 4697 ever the intention may have been the de- year. The first batch of teamen left Shanghai 4974 4984 dealt with. It may be that China will simply explain that the terms complained of were 5152 meant to convey this or that inoffensive self satisfied with this explanation and will not demand a formal withdrawal either of soon after Li's visit, in company with the Itathe whole or any part of the decree. In this way the difficulty may be adjusted and 5600 the negotiations resume their progress. 5809 5818 earn satly desirous quarters the opinion is entertained that it Thibst and another. 5969 5977, 5985 was only in view of the state of affairs in 6043 Europe and the possible complications that became willing to negotiate with China. LAS lost much of its force, war with Russia being now in the last degree improbable, it is quite possible that France may prove less complacent than she otherwise would have done. for apologetic mood, and it would take but little to provoke her to a renewal of the con- commander on the subject.—N. U. Daily News. flict. We think the probabilities are in favour of peace, but, especially with regard to Chinese diplomicy, it is never tife to prophecy unless you know. It may safely be predicted, however, that if the war should break out again, the operations will assume very much larger proportions than hitherto. It will be no longer a "state of reprisals," but one of onen war. As the Standard remarks :- " The attempt to carry out aggres-8089 8098 8106 8113 disease, a very considerable number of men, and now finds herself, for all practical pur-

FROM the Straits Times we learn that the German steamer Fidelio arrived at Singapore on the let instant from Hongkong, have ing a licence from the Government here to carry 472 passengers, but having on board. only 420. On arrival at her destination, having no Singapore licence, the vessel was ateamers sent to Vladivostock to be converted to that port ordering her arrest, for we learn From the evidence given by Wong Loi, mas - The Times finds in the Easter volunteer set of discussions and reference has to be made measured and the captain was fold he had into transports will shortly be withdrawn, and that she was brought on board the steamer Funto trading between Ping manouvres this year a truly inspiring theme. to both Peking and Paris. Nothing will be 48 more passengers than the number allowed with BONDS DRAWN for Redemption, will by the local Passenger Ships Ordinance. reached us."—The same paper in its next issue she was taken in charge by an Inspector of the Stanley Point on the 21st ult. when a pirate junk dignity," will show foreigners that even a war perhaps ten. be PAID at the Office of this Corporation on The following day Captain BROCE was sum. says:- "We believe that at least one of the French Municipal Police. She says that she lost crossed his bows, and he was called upon to had in the Soudan and Central Asia at the same. As the Viceroy of the Canton province, the moned before the Police Magistrate, who imposed a fine of \$50, and in addition \$3 per telegraph to proceed to Hankow to load. This that she arrived with only one dress to her lot of the pirates, among whom were the goes on to tell us that the volunteers have no based on any cossion of Annan-Tonquis head for each of the 48 nearencers in excess of the number allowed by the local law.

ness, and the nation has had too severe an

make peace or will send out an expedition

strong enough to enforce whatever demands

discloses a state of things which should not be allowed to exist. What number of passengers may be carried with due regard to health and safety is a matter as to which some difference of opinion may conceivably be entertained, but it is surely one on which an agreement might be come to between places so nearly associated as Hongkong and Singapore, both British colonies and subject to the same Imperial Government. During last year the steamship agents at Swatow addressed the Hongkong Chamber of Commerce on the subject of the disadvantages under which British vessels carrying emigrapts were placed as compared with foreign shipping. These disadvantages resulted partly from the higher fees demanded by the British Consul in connection with the clearance of emigrant ships, and partly from the fact that the German regulations allow vessels under the German flag to carry vessels are allowed to carry under the Chinese Passengers Act. Representations were made tinue to flourish. to the Government and Chamber of Commerce at Singapore, with the result that the local port, so that foreign vessels were not allowed to bring to the colony any greater number. of passengers than British vessels. But

The Messageries Maritimes steamer Djemnah

pore for Saigon and this port on Saturday. The Glan Line steamer Glaneagles will load teas at Foochow for London, and was to leave Shaughai for that purpose sometime this week. The U.S.S. Enterprise, after being at Sharp Peak-some time, was allowed to go up to Pagoda Anchorage... This she did on the 29th April.-N. C. Daily News. ...

The Russian transport St. Petersburg, with 820 emigrants, arrived at Singapore on the 30th divestock after coaling_ ->>

The Foothow Daily Echo suggests that whe peace is made between France and China the combined armies should join in singing the wellknown ditty "The Days of Auld Langson." The American barque Nicholas Thayer, from

Hongkong to New York, was passed by the

steamer Konsul General Read in Banca Straits and wished to be reported all well—Straits The French gunboat Leon, from Cherbourg,

arrived at Singapore on the 4th May and was to leave for Saigon after coaling. Another French from the westward.

Singapore on the 2nd May from Odessa with for the island of Saghalien. It having been intimated to some unemployed

mander of H.M.S. Linnet, who informed them the that he would telegraph to the Admiral for instructions.—N. C. Daily News. The Hankow tea season will open early this

Glengarry was to leave Shanghai on the 7th. meaning, and that France will profess ber- to Li Hung-chang, a rumour was spread abroad hardly probable. that he had been appointed H.B.M.'s Minister for China; this was because he left for Peking

> forcements to Tonquin :- Compagnio Transatlantique. Canada. France, and Salvador:

> quin and China Arab and "Turco" soldiers who mollahs and imams, who attend to their religious needs; the latter are refused the assistance of o the principles of 98.—Catholic Register.

Thousands of boats leave Ningpo at this time the French ships La Galissonnière, D'Estaing, been afraid to go out. Under these circumstances the Chinese authorities under a flag of truce have been communicating with the French

The following British montof-war were at Nagasaki on the 1st May:—Audacious, Merlin, Daring, Sapphire, and Swift. The Audacious was in the Wanderer on the 20th, destination unknown. The Thales left on the lat May for Port Hamilfresh provisions.

The Chinese authorities, having laid torpedoes off some of the ports, are now in a quantary (says the N. C. Daily News), as they cannot find them gain. Off Sharp Peak recently a number of these engines of war broke adrift, and eix times these torpedoes were picked up, but others refeet of the Yehrin.

8705 8713 8722 8729 tion its renewal. Tuey will now either aspect.-Straits Times.

to go home and rest." at present at Nagasaki, is expected across in a been lodged in the French Convent. No doubt, junks then sailed to Aplichan and from thence could not keep the field for 24 hours it "shows discussions for peace are great. On the other 906 The total fines amounted to \$194. This case 'few days."

We are informed by the Agents (Messrs, Adamson, Bell & Co.) that the Castle Line steamer Gordon Castle, from London, leaves Singapore to-day for this port.

The Straits Times says: - We are informed that H.M.S. Invincible, double serew iron be directed at dummies. armour plated ship of 14 guns, 6,000 tons, and sister ship to the Audacious, has been detached from the Mediterranean and is to reinforce the China squadron. She is expected daily.

A bricklayer named Tee Chenng and a boot man named Kenng Aching had a quarrel over some monetary transactions on Sunday, and the result of the dispute was that the former drew a large dagger and stabled the boatman in the side. The offender was arrested at once, and the wounded man was conveyed to the Government Civil Hospital, where he is now being treated for a somewhat severe wound, but no money if granted will be employed: fatal consequences are expected.

On Sunday evening another of those scenes which are so discreditable in a civilised place coourred in Hongkong, a Japanese resident in the colony being set upon by Chinese footpads in a street full of passers by and beaten and robbed. His assailants escaped, and no arrests have been made up to the present. Earring larger number of passengers than British anatching also is almost as rampant as ever, and until the use of the lash is again resorted to for those rowdies it is to be feared the evil will con-

We are informed that Dr. Borius, Surgeon-General to the Frencharmy in Tonquin, died on regulations were strictly enforced at the latter | the 10th inst, in Haiphong after a short illness caused by overwork and anxiety in that unhealthy climate. Dr. Borius is well known to the scientific world from his meteorological writings. especially his able and exhaustive Researches sur le climat du Senegal. While in Haiphong Dr. Borius took the trouble to make observations learly indicate that some hitch has occurred ing passengers from one British colony to every day at 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., which he rein the negotiations for peace between France another and finding a different law prevail. duesd and forwarded of Hongkong, and his loss for the defendant is severely felt, but some time before his death he mentioned in a letter that the meteorological fell from His Lordship with regard to this case 1282 that the difficulty is such as will lead to a well known that Singapore has its own laws observatory, of which he had urged the necessity on Saturday he had consulted with his client as Shanghai Bank.

This care also were the difficulty is such as will lead to a well known that Singapore has its own laws observatory, of which he had urged the necessity on Saturday he had consulted with his client as Shanghai Bank. would be started in a few months.

The deceased was married, and lived at 119. Weltremely probable explanation; indeed, the Still the difference between the law here and lington-street. Having been suffering from able to come to a settlement. sickness for some time she got into a very despondent state of mind and this was believed t have been the cause of her taking opium. An inquest was held on the body at the Mortnary his claim to the fullest extent possible. vesterday afternoon before the Coroner. H. E. Wodehouse, and a jury composed of Messrs. J. N. Goosmann, Yow Sie, and J. A. ds Lus, by whom a verdict of suicide was returned. The body having been kept since Friday morning it was far advanced in decomposition when the inquest was held, and the smell in the lavatory, where the inquest was held was exceedingly unpleasant, to say the least of it.

> The Hu Pao says :- There have been strange doings in the Liu Yeb. Fu, or Palace of the Sixth Prince—Prince Kung. Devilry is at work. The Prince has a room which he uses as April, from Odessa, and was to leave for Via- shoes" of sycee have flown into the air of their own accord; taken to themselves wings, as riches are said to do: and when the attendants rushed to shut the door, all the "shoes" in the place flew out being too quick for mortal man to impede their flight. Supernatural flames, too, have been bursting out of the Prince's wardrobes, or chests, and destroying some of hi richest garments. No origin can be traced; the fire just breaks out of itself. Your readers year. may not credit this, but it is a fact that both Prince Kung and his son have had to leave the

Palace and take up their quarters somewhere

By the steamer Nam-vian, which arrived from Haiphong yesterday morning, we learn that at man-of-war passed through the same afternoon | the time of leaving that port all was quiet in Tonquin, that there had been no reports of any further fighting since the declaration of the The Russian transport Kostroma arrived at armistice; but the French seemed to look upon the promise of place with very great incredulity 525 convicts (mostly Nihilists) and having coal- It is stated that the reverses of General de ed at the Borneo Co.'s Wharf, left on the 3rd. Negrier were not so serious as at first appeared and that after its first occupation by the French Langson was never really in Chinese hands again After the French had been beaten back from the frontier, they fell back upon Langson, and while holding that position it was found that the small arm ammunition only amounted to eighteen rounds per man. It was reported that the Chinese were advancing upon the place in overwhelming numbers, and in the face of these circumstances it-was deemed prudent to fall attempted to extort money from Li Kwan on the back. It is said that after this the Chinese did | 2nd inst. 4674 4681 4689 4697 4737 4745 4753 cree has, as a matter of fact, been published Glenfruin, for Hankow, left Shanghai on the French who had been on duty outside the town. to the worlds and the difficulties there. 3rd; the Copack arrived at the Red Buoy on the and had been left behind in the retreat, entered plainant's junk was on a voyage to Hongkong, Ordinance was unfortunate." The astonishing glance through the pages of our own history 4th and left at once, for Hankow, and the the town and found no one there. The French with a cargo of molasses on board in bulk, when effrontery of those who drew up and in sober recording events that transpired in India during consequence of the above state of things, this was came alongside, and the crew boarded them. The Tientsia correspondent of the Mercury a very simple matter. We give the report for driving those on board below. Finding the is the most remarkable fact about the whole

On Saturday a fatal accident occurred at the Taikoo Sugar Refinery at Quarry Bay, a coolie named Ip Afat being killed by the breakage of a lifting chain. The mishap occurred as follows. The French Government has chartered the The sugar is first of all lifted up in sacks from following steamers, for the conveyance of rein- the ground floor to the top storey by means of and a half are lifted each time, the work being 5761 depends on whether both parties are really Compagnie des Messageries Maritimes, Amazone done by contract, and on the top floor the raw and Ava: Compagnie Nationale Chandernagor, sugar is emptied out of the bags into a shoot to Colombo, and another; Compagnie Fraissinst, go through the first precess. On this occasion a lot of bags weighing about a ton and a quarter had been hoisted as far as the top floor, when It is remarked that France employs in Ton. | the chain that was used to haul them up suddenly gave way, and the lot of bags fell to the ground might arise from the quarrel between Eug- are Mussulmans, and French soldiers who are floor with one end of the chain, while the other 6209 land and Russia that France so unexpectedly Catholics. The former are attended by their end flew round and struck the deceased and another man. The former received such injuries from the blow that he died while being removed this reason, if it ever operated at all, has chaplains and so must die "laically," according to the Hospital, but the other man was not very seriously hurt as though he received a nesty out on the head, and was insensible for a time, he was able to go to the Mortnary yesterof the year to engage in cuttle-fishing, but as day afternoon to give evidence. It was found after the accident that three of the links of the and Neilly are off Lu Kong, the boatmen have chain had pieces pulled out of them, and to unpractised men there was no appearance of a flaw to account for the breakage. The floor uponwhich the bags fell was all smashed up by their weight, and work was stopped for the day, as the cage was injured. An inquest was held on before Mr. H. E. Wodehouse (Coroner), and Messrs J. N. Góosmann, Yow Sze, and J. A. fighting trim, with her torpedo nettings ready for da Luz as jury. Evidence to the above effect lowering; the Zephyr left on the 27th April, and was given by a head coolie named Yip Sui Kee. Inspector Swanston, and Mr. Waddell, a clerk in the office, and the inquiry was adjourned ton to supply the men-of-war there with coal and until Thursday afternoon at the Magistracy for technical evidence.

A rather remarkic story has been current in almost now appears that the "tale of love" been brought to a close still there hangs a native house-boat arrived in Shanghai, having 8049 8057 troops, has lost by fighting, and still more by mained floating about. One passed within a few on board a mandarin and his wife, a French \$10 to keep the peace for six months, and in de him or given him advice, or been in any way in France some years ago, whilst a member of ! for that period. The Russian ship Jalo, which was loaded by the Chinese diplomatic corps. This lady, who poses, little better off than she was in the an English firm at Singapore, and was to have we understand, rejoices in the aristorationame | Man Acheuk, storekseper, pleaded guilty to though in reality wholly innocent of crime, earlier stages of the struggle." France has left for London but had her cargo discharged of D'Elphin was however, the mandarin's second stealing some copper netting, valued at \$1.50, strange and bewildering as the statement may indeed been negro wife, as he previously was married to a "lily- the property of the Dock Company, and he was appear, liable to a long term of penal servitude! 8433 8441 8449 indeed been penny wise and pound foolish terers to allow her to proceed in face of the pro8489 8497 8505 throughout the whole of this Tonquin busi8481 belilties of war between England and Russia, lady) appears to be quite contented with her lot; Ho Achung, hawker, was sent to will leave to morrow (3rd May) for Riouw, as and she accompanied her quasi-husband on fortnight for stealing three brass hinges and as unfortunately England appears to be rapidly being the nearest neutral port. She will remain his trip to Shanghai, to enjoy the sight of our other things, valued at \$1.90, from the house of becoming, there is no more real personal liberty 8665. 8673 experience of the folly of this policy to sance there till the political borison assumes a brighter settlements. Native gossip soon spread the one Tam Akan at Kowloon. The N. C. Daily News hears from Focobow intended to jilt her husband. By some means committed to gool for three weeks. that Tso Tsung-tang is on his last legs. His the French authorities here heard of the memory is so bad that he cannot remember one affair, and on making enquiries found the state weeks hard labour for shoplifting. He stole a Morality or immorality is, I submit, an affair subject which he came from Shanghai to settle. day what was told him the day before, and all ment, as to the woman's presence on board the piece of silk valued at \$5.40 from the Chui Kee for the clergy—a matter for moral sussion and the the business of the campa has to be transported boat, correct. However, she told them that she shop, Hollywood-road. the business of the camps has to be transacted boat, correct. However, she told them that she shop, Hollywood-road. by trusty subordinates. It is said that when had no intention of leaving her husband. The Wong Achoi, stone-cutter, for robbing a bronews of the impending peace was conveyed to mandarin, we believe, on finding that the author there his clothes, was sent to prison for him, the old man rose from his couch in delight. rities were investigating the matter, and fearing fourteen days. "That is well!" he said: "now I shall be able that he might loose the woman, thought it the which, we are told, is Kinking. She arrived Ham Docks. The N. C. Daily News of the 5th inst. says: there enfely, about a week ago; but it appears —"We hear that a telegram has been received that the mandarin's fears were well founded. The Wong Ayau and Chun Ayau, so by the Russian Consul to the effect that the French authorities becomes have sent a telegram charged with piracy on the 21st ult. allowed to go to Hankow to load tea as usual. from Kinkiang in charge of a foreign Police In- Hol and Hongkong, it appeared that he was on This "peace campaign," carried on with "a done until definitive instructions have been reThis is the most peaceful news that has yet spector, and on the steamer arriving at Bhanghai a voyage to this colony, and had got as far as culmness which rises almost to the height of ceived, and the delay-will be at least six days, Russian volunteer cruisers which have been at \$20,000 worth of jewellery, which she left behind to. Threats of death accompanied the command, time will not disturb our island security. All Futai of Yunnan, and many great officials have Visdivostock for some time has been ordered by in the native city of Kinkiang; and the fact is and he stopped his junk, and was boarded by a this is of course A L. But when the Times protested against any terms of peace that are looks as if it was thought in Reasts that there name. The latest rumour is that the woman, who principles to the pirate equipment—no blankets, no cooking apparatus, territory to France, and the spirit of the soldiers would be no war. Another vessel of this fleet, is described as still being in the prime of life, has junk, and battered down in the bold. The two no great coats, and no on-and consequently is excited, the difficulties in the way of amicable

we shall hear more of the matter ere long.

We hear that it is intended to have more military manosyres at Kowloon next Thursday afternoons and it is intended to test the skill and indement of the men in the use of their weapon's by giving them ball cartridges, &c., to fire instead of blank ammunition; the firing will

LATEST TELEGRAMS

LONDON, 9th May, 1885. PARLIAMENT.

In the House of Commons Sir Stafford North cote gave notice of a resolution of a vote of censure on the Government tantamount to a stop page of the credit asked for, until informed what is the policy of the Government and how the

RUSSIA AND AFGHANISTAN. The Messenger, Russian official newspaper, omblishes a statement that the action of General Kemaroff at Penj-deh was not contrary to the instructions of his Government.

THE ONE THOUSAND GUINEAS Duke of Westminster's Farewell Mr. T. Jennings' Jane Duke of Portland's Satchell

SUPREME COURT

II h May. IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE AUKROYD. Lo Ying v. Granville Sharp, 8930. Mr. Ewens for the plaintiff, Mr. Master (from

the office of Messrs. Sharp, Johnson, and Stokes) Mr. Master said that after the remarks which to settling it, and he thought the whole thing had been settled, but there was one matter which Early on Friday morning a Chinawoman was as yet not setfled, as to the giving of a renamed Ho Pik Oi, 21 years of age, committed ceipt. If His Lordship would be good enough suicide by swallowing an overdose of opium. to adjourn the case again, he would see his client and Mr. Ewens, and he believed they would be Mr. Ewens said the instructions from his clien

were to take nothing less than the full amoun His Lordship said he could not intervene in settlement. If it was only a question of receip the solicitor might make some declaration in court which might be recorded and would serve

Mr. Ewens—On behalf of my client I am prepared to accept the full amount of the claim with His Lordship—With what reservation?

Mr. Ewens-With no reservation. His Lordship-What does Mr. Sharp say Mr. Master-Mr. Sharp wants a receipt.

lischarge. His Lordship—In full satisfaction of Mr. Ewens—I do not know what other claim ny client may have. His Lordship -Of this contract.

Mr. Ewens-Well, I will say of this action. Mr. Master-He said he had further claims for work done before the end of last Chinese His Lordship—I think if any settlement is made it should be of all claims or disputes arising out of the contract either before or after the

end of last Chinese year. Mr. Ewens said that if His Lordship would adjourn the case to Friday he would see if the matter could be arranged. The case was then further adjourned

POLICE COURT. BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE CHARGE OF PIRACY AND ATTEMPTED

Lam Ayan and Wong Afat, seamen, were rought before the court, on remand, on the charge of having been concorned in a piratical attack upon the Kau Man Shun trading junk at Chi Chai Shan on the 28th ult., and with hating

that if they would come to Hongkong he would pay allowed to exist or be tolerated for a day. them the money. They came on to Hongkong and the complainant and a passenger of his to whom complainant and the passenger, while the other four waited outside. The passenger spoke Chin Chew dialect, which the prisoners did not underpolice and get the pirates arrested. The shophe soon brought down some police, the prisoners, no one whatever, be he official or ing the business, were there at the time, and were much less control, their movements, any said that these jolly foragers assisted the women arrested, but on looking for the other four men attempted coercion by actual force outside, they had decamped. The prisoners had punishable on complaint before the Magistrates plough drawn by a cow or buffalo; it is even with them a paper which had been given them by as an assault. This would be real liberty, and I the master of the junk and the passenger at their | will undertake to say that, were the Government pirates, and that as a reward for their services they were to receive this sum. When arrested the prisoners were wearing some garments which the nether garments had no others, the police were compelled to let him continue to wear them. covery that the prisoner had been smart enough to swap his bags with another prisoner awaiting The prisoners both alleged that they were not

that by the aid of their crew the pirates were

craft, and rumours became current that she ing a cotton jacket hung out to dry, and he was Tong Awing, tailor, was sentenced to three particular mode of life, or goodness or badness.

"Wong Ayau and Chun Ayau, seamen, were

plainant, and erew and passengers were kent prisoners in the hold of the pirate junk with insufficient food and much discomfort, but otherwise they were not illtreated except with regard to threats if they gave vent to any cries. On the 24th the pirates sailed away with both vessels and left thom ashore at Kau T Chau. The complain. Therm. 88. Summer his come upon as sadde \$200 in silver. The passengers and crew were given a passage to Hongkong by the islanders, one of the Yumati ferry launches, and the other in First-street, and caused them to be arrested. The first prisoner admitted having been conhe said he did not know where it was. He was wearing a coat when arrested which had been stolen from complainant's junk.

The case was remanded. BEFORE MR. E. MACKEAN.

CHARGE OF LARCENY FROM THE LAUNDRY Innocencio Francisco Rozario, a collector in the employ of the Steam Loundry Company, was charged with stealing from the Laundry a quantity of wearing apparel.

The prisoner and other employes of the Company live in the same building on the Prays. East-where the manager, Mr. Hurley, also lives. From information given Inspector Swanston went to the prisoner's room and searched his box, and among the articles inside he found a pair of white flannel trousers which were recognised as being the property of Mr. Shepherd, of Meesrs. Butterfield and Swire, which were missed on the 16th April.

The case was remanded for a week. charged last week with having unlawfully pawned stolen goods on the 12th ult, the articles in question being a watch and guard belonging at Tai-pan-in; the main army is still at noxtaw, to Mr. H. M. Bovis, of the Hongkong and keeping a good look out. They know the pre-

again remanded for a week. THE ALLEGED REGISTRATION OFFENCE. mand, on the charge of furnishing untrue parti- I made a bad name there, and the heathen Chiculars to the Registrar-General for the purposes-

of registration. It will be remembered that this case arose on of a prosecution against the defendant for alleged | blos here the soldiers have behaved on the whole embezzlement in the capacity of accountant in a very creditably. During the bombardments of chandler's shop in Circular Pathway, the de fendant being discharged by proclamation at the Supreme Court. His defence then was that he was a partner in the business, and after he was discharged, this case was brought against him have shared the same fate as the chapels belong by the Registrar-General in consequence of in- ing to the Canadian Mission had not the civil and formation given by the prosecutor in the former

Mr. C. Osmund represented the Registrar-General's Office Mr. Mossop watched the case on behalf of the defendant's former presecutor. and Mr. Wotton defended. His Worship ordered the defendant to give Mr. Ewens—I will give him a receipt and full bail in \$25 to come up for judgment when called

> CHARGE OF WOUNDING. Tee Awing, bricklayer, was charged with having cut and wounded a boatman named Keung Achung, on the 10th inst. The injured man is a patient in the Civil Hospital, and a certificate was produced to the effect that he was suffering from a severe punctured wound in the side.

The case was remanded for a week. BEFORE BOTH MAGISTRATES.

EARRING SNATCHING. pair of carrings, valuad at \$20, from the person of a woman named Tsang Ayee, on the 18th alt. The woman was walking in Lascar-Row on the day in question when the prisoner came be. ling a wounded man and of severing his head, of hind her and snatched her earrings. She turned and seized him, but he got away from her and escaped. She gave information to the police and the prisoner was subsequently arrested. He had the jade drops from the earrings at the time. and offered them as a bribe to the constable to beings, of placing torpedoes, sinking mines let him go.

Prisoner was sentenced to a year's hard labour.

CORRESPONDENCE. We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our Correspondents.]

THE SLAVERY ORDINANCES. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." The evidence previously given in this case was SIR,-I cannot enderse your remark of this are said now to have re-occupied the place, and in they were overhauled by a piratical craft, which curnest proposed this monstrous measure to a the mutiny, we find reason to blush for the acts body of British legislators in a British colony says that on Sir Richard Rennie, who is now what it is worth; it is certainly very different to cargo of the junk one that they could make miserable business. So far from extending the certain rebels might have been "devilish" and spending a holiday in the North, paying a visit all previously published accounts, and seems nothing out of, and but little other loot on board, really very autocratic and irresponsible power, inhuman, but the retributive action of the conthe pirates informed the master of the junk they now actually wielded by our much belauded would let him go free with his junk and cargo it | Registrar-General, I believe that, were its true he would pay them 3100. The complainant had nature fully made known to British tax-payers not the money with him but he told the pirates at home, the very office he holds would not be The whole of these so-called Anti-Slavery beam," and of "throwing stones at glass win-Ordinances only beg the question at issue. It the cargo belonged went to a shop with the two is the proverbial giving of a stone to those who prisoners and four others of the pirates to get ask for bread. If the often reiterated desire of the money. The prisoners, who were leaders the Government to give-liberty to the slaves of among the pirates went into the shop with the Hongkong, both male and female be really genuine, there is but one course to be pursued. prosecutions for kidnapping where the person stand; and in that dialect he asked the master of alleged to have been kidnapped exceeds twelve the shop, to whom he was known, to send for the years of age; then let it be widely known amongst two French soldiers had been foraging after the Chinese that all, irrespective of age or sex, fowls, and whilst engaged in this freebooting cokeeperatoncesentaman ont by the back-door, and | are free to come and go as they choose, and that having been detained on the pretext of arrang | official, has any right even to question.

> demand, to the effect that they had assisted the | to act in the manner indicated, within a fortnight | their attentions to the female tea pickers; but complainant and his crew to beat off an attack of I there would not be one single slave in the Colony. I this is all rumony. Whatever the circumstances This action would, however, necessitate the total breaking up of the notorious "Po-loung-kuk," and the strict confining of the Tung Wha Hoscomplainant claimed as his, including a pair of pital Committee to what should be their real of Frenchmen crossed the uncertain line of detrousers, but as the prisoner who sported these functions—the healing of the sick. Under the i marcation, seized some ten men and women, and present arrangements, a slave claiming his or her liberty could find no asylum in Hongkong, be- fortunate occurrence took place at Teng Lai, When before the court the next day, however, it i cause no person would dare to harbour or employ was found that the pants he was then wearing an escaped slave, on account of the risk he would were not those the complainant had identified. I run of a prosecution for kidnapping or on some and a little inquiry by the police led to the dis-jother kindred charge. Take, for instance. the case of a male slave; the boy has been pirates, but that as the paper given them set out, father or mother. After a time the boy goes out Shanghai for some days past; and though it they had gone to the assistance of the complain- to service, and when, at say seventeen or eighteen ing at Teack Cham, for some days. He is exhas ant, whose junk was attacked by pirates, and years of age, tired-out and disgusted with workmysterious hale around the whole affair. From besten off. They alleged that the complainant week, or month to month, is bled from him by the news we have been able to gather on the promised them the \$100 as a reward for their some old creature whom we will say he calls his subject it appears that about a fortnight age a services, and gave them a paper to that effect. | nunt, the unfortunate fellow, in desperation, re-Each prisoner was required to find a surety of solves to emigrate, the persons who have ledged country people and the two French soldiers. lady, to whom he is said to have been wedded fault of doing so, they were committed to prison parties to the slave's escape from his thraidom, are, under present arrangements, liable to a pro-A paternal Government is but a synonym for a Ho Achung, hawker, was sent to gool for a despotism, and in a parliament ridden country, than under any other form of despetism. The news of her presence on board the native | Cheung Awan, coolie, pleaded guilty to steal- bearing of these remarks is with reference to female slaves. I maintain that the Government has no right whatever to dictate to them apy usual compliments, but Li cannot understand

> edly not for Government dictation. This does not however, in any way apply to their staff, before discussing it in general, and offences under that most useful piece of modern that Li has appointed Mr. Detring on his be-Chan Achenug, coolie, was similarly punished legislation, the"Contagious Diseases Ordinance." safest to send her by steamer back to his home, for annexing a piece of copper pipe at the Hung i the provisions of which should, I think bestrictly onforced. Yours, &c., Hongkong, 11th May, 1885.

VENTS IN NORTH FORMOSA. FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

TWATHTIA, 29th April. The heat up here is something in ant's junk had a cargoon board of saltcabbage and ly and with a vengeance! The paddy folds in pigs, belonging to one of the passengers, besides front of the town and between this and Banca seem in a flourishing condition. Since the and one of the passengers named Lo Hing, the raising of the blockade rice and other accessaries owner of the cargo, went about searching for the have declined in price, and the poor coolies will pirates. He found one of the prisoners on board | now get a good bowl or two daily at a moderate gost. Foreign goods are being poured into the place, and the town of Twatutia, which appeared corned in the piracy, and when Lo Hing offered a few days ago a sort of "sleepy hellow." L s not to prosecute if he would restore the property | anddenly shown signs of animation. The presence of foreign ten buyers has put life into the place; the mere fact of a few of them bringing. back their office paraphernalia and commencing operations has allayed somewhat the suspicious feelings possessed by many that the war is not at an end. It may not be all over; the French are still at Kelung and hold certain positions in the direction of Leang-kah and Wan Wan; they cannot therefore believe implicitly that all difficulties are " settled," and the Chinese have a sort of suspicion still that the French are not sincers in their overfures. In the early morning we hear bugle calls, r

minding us of the sounds heard before the bean-

bardment of Keling; they come from Tai-peh-

fu, where the military mandarins raside. The

calls are French, and must have been picked up by the buglers at the Foochow arsenal when it The prisoner is the same person who was was being "run" by M. Giquel and other French engineers. There are not many soldiers at Tai-peh-fu : the main army is still at Loktaw. sent weakness of the French at Kelung, but will This case also was before the court, on remand, take no advantage. The terms of the armistice but no further evidence was taken, and it was will not be broken by any act of the Chinese soldiery of Formess. The Chinese emigrants to Li Sui Ng appeared before the court, on re- Australia, and especially to San Francisco, have nee, as they are called, are regarded more or less with suspicion, but throughout the French trou-Kelung, and afterwards of Tamsui, the "people vereinclined to take the law into their own hands, and the foreign buildings of Twatntin would military mandarins exercised their authority; and had they not been backed up by the soldiers, chaos would have reigned. There have been cases in the heat of battle where the soldiers have behaved in what we consider a very savage way; that is, they have severed the heads of their enomies and have exposed them publicly in the market places of Hubbi and Banca. But however wrong this may appear, and is, it can scarcely be considered worse than the acts of "dynami tards," who are supposed to be members of higher state of civilization. In the heat of battle, men down on their backs, wounded and unable to return a bayonet thrust, are often put out of their misery by the "fittest," and we hear but little about it. War is something herrible no doubt but the acts of individuals in In Awah, hawker, was charged with stealing laction ought not to be judged in the same way that nots committed in cool blood may be, We do not uphold the barbarous mode of attackexposing it and gloating over it, perhaps dancing round it to the accompaniment of a war whoop but we opine that the civilized notions of blowing up ironelads or troopships full of human for the purpose of wholesale destruction of human life, is far worse. Where are you to draw the line in time of war? There is no sentiment prevailing then; everyone endeavours to take advantage of circumstances, the idea being to exterminate as many of the enemy as possible. In the old war between China and England saflors were inveigled away from their ships and were never heard of again; the reports were that they were tortured to death. &c. But if we of our military officials. The acts committed by I querors would not always bear the light of day and of calmer judgment. To find fault with the Chinese mode of treating wounded men or prisoners is often a case of the "mote and the

> Strong North-easter; Therm. dropped from 88 deg. to 71 deg., a very pleasant but treacherous change in the weather.

dows." But I may be utterly wrong.

News arrived from Loktaw this afternoon, which rather disconcerted people for a time, that cupation they got into the society of certain women, who were picking tos on the hills. It is, being to pick tea and tried their hands at driving a whispered that they were extra demonstrative in were one of the Frenchmen was killed and the other ran for his life. Soon afterwards a body carried them away as hostages. This unnot far from Wan Wan.

Blowing from N. E. The Ingraban arrived outside and her letters were sent up the river in the afternoon.

The high civil official Yang, or Yung, from Peking on his way up the island, has been restpected here shortly.

There will be no trouble about the killing of the Frenchman. The fight was between the The hostages will no doubt be retained until some satisfaction is obtained from the Chinese. he matter will be arranged without any

TRANCE AND CHINA.

Tientsin, 27th April, 1885. It is said that when Li Hung-chang and Mr. Patenotre met last Saturday they passed the why the French Minister did not broach the of the impending arrangements in the hands of half .- Meroury Correspondent.

The Viceroy Li has received the visit es Monsiour Patenotre, and has returned it, but negotiations have made no progress, on the contrary a serious difference arose at the very out-

to Kau I Chan, and during three days the com-foreigners" quite another side of the question. hand the wish of the French government, of

Hongkong, 11th May, 1885.

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-Courier Correspondent.

The N. C. Daily News of the 5th May says:— cent. Bonus on net premit of contributing share-Rumours are rife to the effect that a hitch has holders. occurred in the negotiations between M. Pateno- . Mr. BELL seconded the resolution, and it was tre and the Imperial Commissioners in Tientsin. We have not received any confirmation of these reports, but consider that their correctness is meeting is to elect Directors for the ensuing not impossible. At the same time we do not | year. believe that any permanent difficulty, such as Mr. J. WALTER-Mr. Chairman, I beg to prosighted than we take them for.

The same paper translates from the Hu Pao, the Company for the current year. or something like it, is said to have taken place carried. between M. Patenotre and the Chinese Commisattention was attracted by the translation of as Auditors for the current year. Daily News. This made him very angry, and carried. he immediately telegraphed some of the text, which . The CHATRMAN—That concludes the business he considered insulting to France. The Tsung-li of the present moeting, so far as the Directors Yamen throw all the blame on "Tsz Lin" for are concerned. If the shareholders have anypublishing the Edict, which was never intended | thing to ask me I shall be happy to answer them: for the public eye, and I hear that the Yamen are attempting to find out who it was that furnished a copy of it to the Hu Pao.

SIR ROBERT HART AND THE BRITISH LEGATION.

The statement that Sir Robert Hart had been entire ignorance of the grounds upon which The object of the meeting, as you are aware, the ablest man in the Far East, his reported selection as the representative of regarded as indicative of something like Ravision Clauses. That completes the business an Anglo-Chinese alliance, and a defensive of the meeting. measure on the part of England against the intrigues of Russia and the suspected or possible alienation of France. This idea found wide acceptance, and, apart perhaps from chical circles, gave unbounded satisfaction to the majority. was received by members of the Castom's service | vented from attending this meeting. I shou able to those who have to do with him; and, had liked to be present. it proved to be true, we are sure that the Cusin the extreme. It is not to be, apparently; | could not have it then. still, we know now what the public feeling would have been had events been really ordered as it of several who have already left that they re- | degrees, and the water at the waterworks, when was believed they had been for four-aud-twenty gretted that the meeting should be held this tested, showed a heat of 79 degrees Fahrenheit. hours last week, and this cannot but be extremed week, preventing them from attending. y gratifying ap Sir Robert: Indeed an impression still prevails that although the statement than usually anxious to have the meeting early Loong-fei auction. Prices did not rule high, action. Sir Peter Lumsden has sent a full and as published was untrue, there was, and still is, this year and have the tentasters present, because and the highest bid was Tls. 55 for Juno, the circumstantial account of the incident in reply. to use a homely expression-something at the they wanted to have a full quorum to after the winner of the Tatles Cup, very good worth for to Government inquiries soon after the first bottom of it. There are still some among us who articles of association. affirm that the post has been offered to Sir Ro. | Mr. HERTZ -I have much pleasure in pro- several serviceable mokes at figures between ten that General Komaroff had no excuse whatbart Hart, but that he will not accept it until posing a vote of thanks to the Chairman and and fifteen tasks. The auctioneer was in great ever for attacking Penj-deh, which was ITHE Steamship the negotiations he is assisting in Paris shall be Directors for their very able and successful form and dispensed his wit liberally. weakly defended, and that the Afghans concluded. There are also a few who aver that management of the Company during the past Mr. Detring is already selected as the coming year. man in place of the present Inspector General, and that however much we may be in the dark | News. respecting details, there are pregnant changes looming in the immediate future. It is not necessary for us to speculate as to what the nature of these changes may be, but we consider that we are justified in taking advantage of the opportunity to refer to the factin passing. Political Peking, it is to be hoped that a man may be appointed to the post possessed of something like

THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

his unserring wisdom, ability, and tast. -N. C.

The second ordinary general meeting of the shareholders of this Company was held at the Shanghai Club on the 5th May. Mr. E. H. Lavers (Chairman) presided, and there were also present Messra. F. H. Bell, W. Brand, H. R. Hearn, W. Walter, A. C. Westall and A. G Wood (Directors) J. J. Bachhoister, C. Rodowald; J. F. Cheetham, McDonald, St. C. Michaelsen W. Howie, C. Cromie, E. Burmeister, M. W. E Burmeister, J. Walter, L. Pile, W. White, P G. Hübbe, H. Evans, F. Gebhardt, A Ilbert, H Hertz, E. Davis, J. E. Taylor, E. Gipperich, R Francis, J. Forster, R. D. Starkey, and Kennard Davis (Secretary,) representing 1,575

The CHAIRMAN said—Gentlemen, there being a quorum present, we can commence the busi ness. Owing to the Company's premises being. in the hands of workman, it was found necessary presented here to-day 3,867 shares, the necessary April, when the Raport and Accounts of the to hold the meeting here. The Secretary will read the notice convening the meeting.

The Secretary having read the notice. The CHAIRMAN said—Gentlemen, with your permission we will take the minutes of the last general meeting and the Report of the Directors as read. We have much pleasure in submitting to you the Directors' Report and statement of is hereby put into liquidation." accounts for the half year ended 31st December last. They have been in your possession, for tion. some time and speak for themselves, and I think you will agree that they show very satisfactory results so far as the first year's working of the Company under its new constitution is concerned. The Premiums earned are considerably larger than during any previous year of the Company's and E. G. Low, with power to liquidate and wind up existence, and I am happy to say that so far as the company and to enter into an agreement on becan be estimated, the percentage of claims set. half of the company for the absolute sale of the assets tled, and outstanding to date, is moderate and of the company to a company with liability limited compares not unfavourably with past years by shares (which company is hereafter to be formed and called the Perak Sugar Cultivation Company, There are of course a number of risks yet to run Limited), upon such terms and conditions (saving all off, and average claims to be paid, but as I have vested rights and interests) and for such considerssaid, the account looks very well and we consider | tion or considerations as they may think fit, and to it safe to recommend the interim appropriation | do all such further acts and things as they may con. of profits mentioned in the Report, including sider necessary or desirable for carrying into effect the transfer of a substantial sum to form the commencement of a Reserve Fund. You will observe from the Report that we have written it was carried unanimously. off 20 per cent. for loss on our claim on the Oriental Bank Corporation in Liquidation, we have to do to-day, gentlemen .- V. C. Daily of affairs is to be met will be a question for the and, as explained in the Report, the Directors | News believe that this will be sufficient to cover any loss on that account: Since the Balance Sheet was printed, we have received from the Liquidator a dividend of 50 per cent on our claim-about Tls. 28,000. There is a subject to which I wish to draw your attention, the capture of the Pingon. The Pingon left and it is with reference to the case which Mr. Amoy on the 8th April, ostensibly, we believe, The military college is now firmly established Taylor brought against the company before pre- bound for Nagasaki. She anchored the same here, and perhaps from the classmen or cadits ceeding to propose the adoption of the report and evening off Tong Bu, and weighed anchor the may arise some master of the art of war who accounts. I may state; with reference to the enfollowing morning for Wingtao bay, Chinchew. Will turn to account the five Chinese elemental quiries which were made by some shareholders at Here she took on board 800 soldiers and their military qualities: 1; numbers and homogeneity; our last meeting, that we have taken the opinion officers, and left on the 10th, intending to make 2, stubborn endurance; 3, persistence; 4, contempt of counsel at home on that case, and although on the South Cape of Formosa, giving the Pes- of death; 5, passive obedience; and then everyon many of the points raised at the hearing it is in cadores a wide borth, as it was known that Asia, and perhaps Europe. China is underour favour, and we are advised, generally; that an these islands were in the hands of the going evolution, and the nation must now be appeal would be arguable, still, as on one point French. All went well till the 11th, when regarded as an actual rather than as a merely counsel are of opinion that the balance of chances | the South Cape was reached and hugged pretty | potential military power. of success would be against us, we have thought closely on account of the weather. Just the General Saigo, a soldier of skill and exit advisable not to carry the case further, and we other side of the Cape a French man of war, the perience, was greatly astonished when he beheld the 15th April, 1885. have submitted to the decision of the Supreme D'Estaing, was hiding, and could not be seen by the garrison of Tientsin. The men are as big as Court here. All our costs in the suit are pro- those on board the Pingon till both ressels were the Pomeranian guards, or the Russian guards. vided for in the accounts now before you, and it not more than two miles apart. The French- Well equipped, active, well drilled, they will remay be satisfactory to you to know that, in the man on sighting the Pingon at 1.30. p.m. shot sist attack stubbornly. The Chinese artillery-opinion of the eminent lawyers we have consulted, out from the shore and fired a gan; which, men were put through their exercises at a few the revision clauses in our Articles of Association however, those on board the Pingon took no minutes notice, and the speed, precision, and example are perfectly valid, and there is no reason to apport the precision of the precision of the precision of the precision and example perfectly valid, and there is no reason to apport the precision of prehendany similar difficulty on future occasions. Another shot was quickly fired, and then it prise. An invading force, with Peking for its Before I put the resolution to the meeting, ask. was found that there was no escape, objective, must now be very large, well supported ing the shareholders to pass the report, I shall so the engines were stopped and the vessel by reserves, and very fortunate, as Li's army be glad to answer any questions you may have to brought to. An officer from the D'Estaing | will make a most strenuous resistance even now. put to me. No questions being asked.

The CHAIRMAN said-If you have no quest of the steamer's attempt to reach Formesa much debated question -a successful invasion of tions to put, I beg to propose that the Report of and had despatched the D'Estaing to intercept Chih-li might overpass the resources of France, the Directors and Accounts for the half-year end. her. The vessel was searched and the 800 pas- great as they are. ing Slat December, 1884, as now presented to this sengers were questioned after being cantioned. The Chinese Admiralty office has asked Capt meeting, be accopted and passed.

the Peking government, and of the Viceroy Li the second resolution, viz:-That the following for peace is strong, and may overcome or dividends for the year 1884 be declared, via : Inrather let us hope, will overcome-all opposition. terest on the amount of the capital paid up at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum; and 25 per

> carried. The CHAIRMAN—The next business before the

would lead to a resumption of hostilities, has pose that Mesers, F. H. Bell, W. Brand, H. R. taken place; unless the Chinese are more short. Hearn, E. H. Lavers, W. Walter, A. C. Westall and A. G. Wood be elected as the Directors of under the head of Poking News :- A difficulty, Mr. Pila seconded the resolution, and it was

Mr. ILBERT-I begate propose that Messrs. sioners at Tientsin. The French Minister's Augustus White and Peter Miclean by elected the Peace Edict published in the North China Mr. HERTZ seconded the motion, and it was

No questions were asked.

extraordinary general meeting of shareholders. and it was announced for this afternoon, but I regret to say that, owing to some misunderstanding which has arisen, the proxies of our London shareholders are not available for use. and consequently we have not a sufficient numappointed British Minister to Peking, which ber of votes represented to enable us to pass the created such profound excitement among us special Resolution of which notice has been turns out to be a canard of the purest water. Siven. The extraordinary meeting will there-

he had been so cordially and promptly con. was to alter clause 44 of our articles of association have taken place. When the first shock of per-blexity and surprise had passed away, there list to take place this year, or say two years archard extern of the Rayard and the was one opinion so prevalent as to be almost, only after the Company commenced business, though not quite, universal-namely, that the although three years after its legal incorporaappointment was an admirable one, and the tion, and the resolution which it was intended finest stroke of diplomacy ever achieved by the to submit to you to-day, and which you will be Gladstone. Administration. Apart from the asked to vote for a few weeks hence, will have fact that Sir Robert Hart is unquestionably the effect of postponing the Revision until next Her Majesty's Government in Peking was before they can come under the operation of the

to fly all day, and simply told the captain that many shareholders in this Company who are connected with the tes trade: and as cironmstances have turned out—the season at Hankow commencing so early-many have had to leave here It will always be memorable, too, that the news earlier than in former years and have been proners ran short of provision. Captain Garozzi informed Admiral Courbet of this, and he kindly with feelings akin to dismay. Sir Robert is so therefore like to propose that in future the meetadmirable an administrator, and so just in his ling be held not later than the last week in exercise of the great power he wields, that the April. There are several gentlemen who have honour to arrange his affairs, and this was granted. rumour of his resignation was highly unaccept. already left the Settlement who would have

toms emyloges would have been as much grieved intention of the Directors to hold the half-yearly to lose him as the British public would have been | meeting as early as possible; but this year we pleased to obtain him. Sir Robert began life in | found it impossible to hold it early. The busi-China as a Consular assistant; this post he threw ness is exceedingly large, and our liabilities and up for a service which was then by no means outstanding accounts are very heavy. We had in honour; he has since raised to look into matters very carefully; and in order both himself and that service to a po- to cause the least possible delay in the payment sition of almost unequalled eminence, and of dividends, we are now going to pay the C. Daily News. if it had been true that he was to step from interest on capital as well as the return on being Head of the Customs to being Head of the | contributions. The meeting was originally fixed | service he relinquished so many years ago, the for the 28th of last month; but the race holidays incident would have been striking and dramatio-came on, and people went up country, and we Mr. E. Davis-I know it was the expression on the Yangtsze Road, registered at noon 98

THE PERAK SUGAR CULTIVATION

in this Company was held on the 4th May at the Chinese, and it was then killed. It is not posi- General Komaroff's force. General Komaroff. affairs are still looking uncertain in Europe at Company's offices, Shanghai, when there were tively known whether the dog was mad or not. on the other hand, had frequently attempted to the present moment, and if we are not to have present:—Mesus, W. V. Drammond (Chair-However, a danger is threatened. Strict injunctory provoke the Afghans to commit an act of hostithe services of Sir Robert Hart as Minister at man), W. S. Wetmore, E. G. Low, and G. H. tions should be given to the police to capture lity, and finding they were determined to remain man), W. S. Wetmore, E. G. Low, and G. H. tions should be given to the police to capture lity, and finding they were determined to remain Wheeler (Directors), A. Thurburn, R. M. Camp- all stray dogs, and this is a matter on which the strictly on the defensive, advanced against them bell, F. W. Lemarchand, A. J. M. Inverarity, Council should not listen to the entreaties of and thus forced them to fight. F. Major, E. Robinson, Lo Gheng-ya, Kawan, Chinese. We know what hydrophobia is, and Swe-hoh and C. J. Dadgeon (Secretary), represeting 3.867 shares.

calling this meeting has been advertised in the was made on the Point Hotel, Yangtze-poo ters dealt with are believed to have been of North China Daily News since the 31st March- Road, by some 30 or 40 robbers, supposed to be exceptional gravity and importance. There is upwards of thirty days from the present date, as Chinese soldiers. Four of the servants were no truth in the statement that in case of war you desire it. I will ask the Secretary to read wound, the others are bruised or cut about the will be imposed; nothing of the kind is yet conthe notice convening the meeting; but if you do body. The robbers walked off with a clock, templated by the authorities concerned. not desire it, we will take it as considered to have barometer, and other articles from the barbeen read. If we may therefore consider the notice They also rebbed the servants quarters, breaking of the daties of Military Secretary to the convening the meeting to have been considered open their boxes, taking clothing and all the Vicerov, succeeding Lord William Beresford, as read, the only business we have to do to day is money they could find. Inspectors Fowler and proceeding home next week. to bring to your notice two resolutions and take | Mack with a number of foreign constables, went a vote upon them. The first is to liquidate the down to the Point at about 4 a.m., but up to Company, and the second is to make the the present no trace of the robbers has been necessary arrangements by appointing a Com- found .- Mercury. mittee and giving them power to wind up the Company for the purpose of constituting a new and limited Company. In order to pass the first resolution it is required by the deed of settlement that no less than three-fourths of the shares shall be represented; and there are re- of Mr. Brenan, H.B.M. consul, on the 27th. number being 3,750. I have no remarks to Municipal Council for the year were presented, Messra Jardine Matheson & Co.) Hongkong make beyond putting these resolutions. Of and a new Council appointed. course, if any shareholder wishes to take advantage of the opportunity to ask any question we came up for discussion was the upsetting of the shall be glad to give him any information on financial system of the settlement by a despatch any subject so far as it is within our power. I from H.B.M. Charge d'Affaires, as the result

Mr. WETMORE—I beg to second that resolu-

The resolution was carried unanimously. Mr. Wheeler-I beg to move the second

That the affairs and assets of the company be and

The CHAIRMAN seconded the resolution, and. The CHAIRMAN-That concludes the business | convenient source of revenue. How this state

THE CAPTURE OF THE STEAMER | Council is as follows :- Messrs. E. Cousius, G.

We have obtained a few more particulars of | dent.

Courbet had information from Shanghai sent race of officers is possible an open and to speak the truth. They said they were soldiers, Lang, R.N., to return, as the attempt to super-

The CHAIRMAN—It was intended to hold an

It is now denied in unmistakeable terms. Sir fore not take place to-day, but will be convened Robert himself having telegraphed to avow his for a later date, probably some time in July.

> lofficers, engineers and crow was not interfered year, so that all the orginal members of the with, and the ship's work went on as usual. On Company may be given three working years

Mr. E DAVIS-Mr. Chairman, there are a great

The CHAIRMAN-It is always the wish an

beg to propose - "That the company be and it of twelve months' agitation on the part of a

then boarded the Pingon. He said Admiral In another year, if any improvement in the pre-

the Pingon was engaged in. The officer then it was a gross error to try to uproot it and disreturned to the D'Estaing and reported. He card it at a day's notice, and it is not surprising went back to the Pingen and told Captain that the officers and men who had served Captain Carozzi very politely that he must take his ship Tracay, Luxmoore, and Lang, did not take kindto the Pescadores, where Ad iral Courbet was, ly to the too sudden and radical changes which gratulated. On the whole, however, the in- by striking out the date "1885" and substitut- to have the mutter investigated, the officer re- Captain Sebelia tried to enforce, with, perhaps, cident has proved a remarkably instructive one, and we see no cause for regret that it should articles arrived from home, it was noticed that

VESSEL'S NAME

Toheran (str.)

Monelaus (str.)

Alex. McNeil.....

Yang tse (str.)

Nellie M. Slade 1.52

City of Peking (str.)

Guthrie (str.).

Da Bay (str.)(r......

Gordon Castle (str.)

Kong Beng (str.)...

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Pingon anchored astern of the Bayard, and the

Chinese soldiers were transferred to the Bayard

the D'Estaing, and the transport Tonkin, while

others were sent on shore, and a guard was placed

on board the vessel. The liberty of the captain.

Monday morning, at ten o'clock, an officer from

the D'Estaing boarded the Pingon and said the

vessel was confiscated. The British flag was

flying at the time. The officer allowed that flag

he need not hoist it on Tuesday as the French

one would be run up instead, as the vessel was a

prize of war. On the voyage across from Amoy,

and helped themselves; consequently the foreig-

sent an abandant supply. After this, the Cap-

tain applied to be released upon his parole of

without demur. He then left for Hongkong, but

his two mates and the engineer remained on board,

the second engineer and all the firemen taking

appears that the French got information of the

intended destination of the Pingon through the

supercargo, a Chinaman named Sit Ming-cook,

telling people of it. This was telegraphed up to

Shanghai, with the result as above stated -N.

SHANGHAI.

: Yesterday, 4th May, was the warmest day we

that is sufficient.—Courier.

TIENTSIN.

The annual meeting of Land-renters on the

The only question of particular interest that

section of the community. A large sum is

annually collected by the Customs under

the name of wharfage dues, and the amount

is divided between the Chinese, the French,

and the Municipality in very unequal pro-

portions. The net result, however, has been

that the settlement is the cleanest and best

ordered in China, a real "model," and that it has

been financed without any tax whatever on the

Land-renters. From some idea that this was too

good to last, or perhaps under the impulse which impels the English radical to "go for" theoreti-

cal anomalies, grievances were manufactured out

of the state of things by some of those who never

know when they are well off. The Chinese re-

ceived too much, and they did not expend all they

received in the way they ought. The French received much and contributed nothing. And so,

after worrying the late Minister to get the sys-

tem broken up, the community begins to discover

that it has endangered if not destroyed a most

Detring, W. W. Dickinson, W. H. Forbes, and

A. D. Startseff.—N. C. Daily News Correspon-

new Council to consider.

service with the French on board the Pingon. I

the Chinese soldiers broke into the store room

MANILA

YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO

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LATE TELEGRAMS.

[FROM THE " BANGOON GAZETTE."] Mandalay, 17th April. Bhamo has been captured by Chinese troops in Ports, TO-DAY, the 12th instant, at THEEE Yunnan and that the Chinese Government are P.M. about to despatch an Embassy to Bhamo and to | For Freight or Passage, apply to demand payment of tribute due to the Emperor.

BOMBAY, 19th April. A tramendous fire has been raging all day | Hongkong, 9th May, 1885. vesterday and to-day, destroying a large quantity f hav purchased by a ring in anticipation of orders from the Commissariat Department. The hay had been stacked on a large plot of ground batween two public roads; altogether there were nearly seventy great stacks, not one of which was saved; in half an hour after discovery of the THE Steamer fiames, all the stacks became involved. The loss s estimated at between four and five lakhs of the fire is suspected to be the work of in-

SIMLA, 22nd April. The Government of India has decided to sell not more than 54,000 chests of Bengal Opium. during the calendar year 1886. The exact quantity and the proportions in which Patna and Benares Opium will be sold will be announced hereafter.

LONDON, 23rd April. The statement that the Russian Government has refused to make further enquiry into General Komaroff's statements regarding the Penj-deh affair has not yet been confirmed.

Bombay, 23rd April.

The London correspondent of the Bombay have had this year. A thermometer, in the shade, Gazette telegraphs that the Standard announces that the Government, on receipt of Sir Peter Lumsden's statement of details of the encounter-. The first clearance of superfluous racing stock on the Khusk, re-demanded-disavowal by the-The CHAIRMAN-The Directors were more took place on the 5th May in the shape of a Russian Government of General Komaroff's the money. Maloo man were able to snap up report reached England. He shows clearly The dog-days are approaching, and it behoves in face of much provocation exercised the The meeting then separated. N. C. Daily dogs. Not many days ago, on the Yangtsze-pool diets General Komaroff's statement that the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 16th Road, a Pekingese poodle was bitten by a Chinese the Afghans had committed acts of hostility "wonk" and died two days afterwards. On the against the Russians or that they had advanced 5th May a Japanese poodle strayed into the Pub- from their former positions; on the contrary he lic Hospital, and when the foreign assistant tried explains that the Afghans had always occupied to catch it, it bit him on the hand and rushed the left bank of the Khusk and that they did not A special general meeting of the shareholders about in a very auspicious manner, bitting two enter into occupation with a view of menacing

LAHORE, 23rd April. .-The Vicercy, on arrival at Simla, lost no time Early on the morning of the 2nd May, between in calling together the Executive Council. The CHAIRMAN said—Gentlemen, the notice the hours of midnight and one o'clock, an attack which assembled at noon of the 21st. The matrequired by the present deed of settlement. If wounded during the attack; one has a scalp an income tax of from five to eight per cent. Colonel Forgus Grahem has taken over charge

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be no Launch on Monday and The above Time Table will be strictly adhered Pany's Office. Mr. Woodseconded the resolution, and it was and their destination was Taiwanfoo On search sede British naval drill by German mayal drill to except under unavoidable circumstances. In ing the coldiers' boxes, official documents were has utterly failed. As the British naval drill, case of stress of weather, due notice, will be The CHAIRMAN-It is my pleasure to propose found plainly proving the nature of the service | whether good or bad has been in force since 1867, given of any stoppages.

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new system, the success of which was practically proved last year, when the profits resulting Owners will be RESPONSIBLE for any therefrom realised over £12,000. The whole DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crows N THURSDAY, the 14th day of May, of the winnings, including principal and profits 1985, at Noos, the Company's Steamship to be equally divided amongst these subscribers "YANGTSE," Commandant Lormier, with who will be unsuccessful in drawing either Hongkong MATLS. PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and a horse or prize in the Great Sweep. Every ALEX. McNeil.-Am. sh., G. W. David.-Mel-CARGO, will leave this Port for the above subscriber to receive a prize, be it large or small. To avoid delay, all Hongkong prizes Cargo and Specie will be registered for Lon- will be remitted immediately after race, by don as well as for Marsoilles, and accepted in an order on the Chartered Bank of India, transit through Marseilles for the principal Australia and China, payable at Victoria Danier, J. Tenny, Ant. ship, G. S. Wilson. Hongkong. Drawing held on the 20th October next Printed slips of winning numbers Emily, Brit bg., W. Crichton.-Wieler & Co. Shipping Orders will be granted till NOON. next. Printed slips of winning numbers Cargo will be received on board until 4 F.M., posted to all Ticket Holders immediately after. Specie and Parcels until S P.M., on the 13th Money received too late will be returned. Ton May, 1885. (Parcels are not to be sent per Cent commission deducted from the prizes. on board; they must be left at the Agency's In remitting money for tickets, send Bank Hunranepon, Brit. str., Whitburn. Office.) Contents and value of Packages are Drafts, Post Office Orders, Notes; or Gold, latter required. should be registered; add sixpence extra to For further particulars, apply at the Com- cover cost of return postage. Enclose selfaddressed envelope. Address all letters and make all orders payable to THOMAS FAULKNER, WILLY, Ger. bk. C. L. Henne. Carlowies & Becretary, "A.T.C.," 635, George Street, Sydney, 726

MAILS EXPECTED.

THE AMERICAN MAIL. The O and O steamer San Pable, with the next American mail, left Yokohama on the 7th, and is due here on or about the 13th inst-

THE PRENCH MAIL. The Messageries Maritimes ateamer Djemnah. with the next French mail, left Singapore on the THE U.S. Mail Steamer "CITY OF 9th, and may be looked for here on or about this

STEAMERS EXPECTED. The E. & A. steamer Catterthun left Port Darwin on the Srd, and may be expected here of or about the 13th instant.

The Castle Line steamer Gordon Castle leaves Singapore to-day, and may be looked for here on or about the 18th instant.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

When Correspondence has been mis-sent or RETURN PASSAGES.—Passengers, who have delayed (both of which are liable to happen

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permanently on the Mail Lists issued twice every

day from the Daily Press Office.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published. N.B.—CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THEOUGH twice each day in our Extra, which is always BILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN | corrected to a much later hour than that given

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Singapore, Port Darwin, Thursday FYTHE PENINSULAR AND OBIENTAL STEAM Island, Cooktown, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship Molbourne, and Adelaide, &c., &c. - Per Guthrie, For Straits Sattlemants. - Par Carisbrooks, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, and Melbourne. -Per De Bay, to-day, the 12th inst, at 3.30

> For Baigon.—Per Rory, to-day, the 12th For Amoy and Shanghai.—Per Lucrtes, to-For Swatow, Amov, and Tamen. -- Per Ingraban, to-morrow, the 13th inst., at 10.30 A.M. For Hollow, Singapore, and Bangkok.-Per-Kong Beng, on Thursday, the 14th inst., at 7.30

For Straits and Calcutta.—Par Taisang and The Contents and Watus of Packages are re- Arratoon Appear, on Saturday, the 16th instant, at 2:00 P.M. MAILS BY THE FLENCH PACKET. The Franch Contract Packet Yangteé will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 14th May,

with Mails for the United Kingdom. Europe, and places beyond, vi4- Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies. Pondickery. Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Manritius, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing he Mails, &c.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET:

The United States Mail Packet City of Peking will be descatched on SATURDAY, the 16th May, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, [20] the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:— 2.15 P.M., Registry ceases.

2.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late Dee of 10 cents extra Postage watil the time of departure.

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3.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee of 40 cents until 30 P.M.—when the Post Office closes entirely. 8.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with late fee of 10 cents, until time of departure.

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